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In re PATENT APPLICATION of:
DMITRII STEPANOV ET AL.

Confirmation Number: 5480

Application No.: 09/961,378

Group Art Unit: 2874

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Examiner: Connelly Cushwa, Michelle R.

For: GRATING ERROR COMPENSATING TECHNIQUE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 1 month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

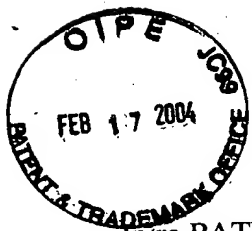
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	20	- 21	= 0	x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0.00
INDEP.	3	- 3	= 0	x \$ 86.00	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+	\$ 290.00	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$ 0.00
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE					\$ 110.00
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 110.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 17, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

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